

HOUSE RESOLUTION 246

By Halford

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Ruby Adams on the celebration of her 101<sup>st</sup> birthday.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this legislative body pay tribute to those citizens who are celebrating special occasions in their estimable lives; and

WHEREAS, Ruby Adams celebrated her 101<sup>st</sup> birthday on February 14, 2018, a milestone that was commemorated as yet another precious souvenir of life's rich pageant; and

WHEREAS, born in Mississippi, Ms. Adams attended school in Baldwin, Mississippi, for three years at Sand Hill; and

WHEREAS, Ruby Adams is a highly respected member of the Humboldt community; and

WHEREAS, a beloved family matriarch, Ruby Adams is grateful for the love and support she shares with her honorary daughter, Charlotte Austin, her three grandchildren, one great-grandchild, and one great-great-grandchild; and

WHEREAS, her only son, Russell Boyd Betts, played professional baseball for the Kansas City Monarchs; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Adams evinces her devout religious faith as a faithful member of Morning Star Baptist Church; and

WHEREAS, she is still an active and productive member of society, participating in various civic and community events as her health permits; and

WHEREAS, we wish to grasp this golden opportunity to specially recognize one of Tennessee's most outstanding citizens on this very special occasion; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we honor and

congratulate Ruby Adams on the celebration of her 101<sup>st</sup> birthday and extend to her our best wishes for many happy returns of the day.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.